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Big Gleichen Mid-Winter Carnival Opens Next Wednesday for Two Nights--Feb. 26-27--Substantial Prizes and Fun

Ratepayers Strong for Town Irrigation

It is very evident the ratepayers are greatly in favor of town irrigation as indicated by a petition that is being circulated with that aim in view during the past week to be presented to the Town Council asking that a by-law be submitted.

Up to Monday night 71 ratepayers had signed the petition and there are 19 more resident ratepayers who have a right to sign. Of these 15 have not been seen, while a few have asked for more time in which to consider the matter before signing and only two have refused to sign.

Thus it appears a very popular question and it is thought few, if any, who have signed will go back on their word when the ballot is taken.

There are still a few points in connection with the matter the council has to consider before preparing the by-law, which it is hoped will be settled at an early date in order that the necessary work can be proceeded with as soon as the frost is out of the ground. In the meantime any who desire to sign the petition will find it at the Gleichen Pharmacy.

All who have signed are bona-fide ratepayers.

The petition follows.

THE TOWN ACT

SECTION 176 R.S.A. 1922
WHEREAS the undersigned desire to have the Town Council submit a by-law dealing with the installation of an irrigation system in accordance generally with the plans discussed with the Canadian Pacific Railway Company and an account of which has been published in The Gleichen Call;

AND, WHEREAS, a petition is required by one-half of the resident burghesses to have such by-law submitted

NOW, THEREFORE, the undersigned, being resident burghesses of the Town of Gleichen, do hereby petition the Town Council to submit such a by-law:

H. Carreck,
Wm. Sanders.
Mrs. Wm. Sanders.
Peter Kelly.
Mrs. Theo. Krause.
Mrs. J. J. Robinson.
C. R. McIntyre.
Mrs. M. Brereton.
Minnie A. Brown.
J. W. Egles.

Wm. Schmidt.
H. G. Bates.
D. L. McLeod.
M. R. Schmidt.
P. Rishaug.
E. L. Birdson.
Wm. Boos.

A. E. Jones.
Chas. Thompson.
W. Jeffers.
Leon Desjardine.
M. Lakoski.
Charlie Tal.
G. T. Jones.
John Boyd.
J. E. Ostrander.
G. H. Farquharson.
R. S. McQueen.

W. E. Thompson.
T. W. Bates, Jr.
A. F. MacCallum.
R. C. Clifford.
D. Hutcheson.
M. Murray.

R. S. Haskayne.
W. Stermister.
A. P. Yates.
W. F. Ferguson.
J. Lutke.
D. Wilson.
Wm. McConnell.
J. A. Menard.
J. E. James.

The Canadian Bank of Commerce
L. Cuthbert, Manager.

N. T. Purcell.
W. Park Evans.
Ell Woods.
W. H. Busby.
Thomas Planté.
W. H. James.

Board of Trade Meets

Prof. Phelps Address

The Gleichen Board of Trade held its first regular meeting in 1930 in the Club Room of the Community Hall. Many important phases of the work were discussed and plans for 1930 activities were laid. The question of the main highway from Calgary to Medicine Hat was brought up and a report received from John C. Buckley, M. L. A., through W. P. Evans that the graveling would be proceeded with as far as Gleichen and that the highway grade would be continued during the season of 1930 as far as Brooks. This was received with great pleasure by the members of the Board of Trade, since this organization has been hard at work for some time to bring this construction about.

Rev. C. R. Corcoran in performing his duty of introducing the lecture referred to the work of Prof. Phelps at Victoria College, Winnipeg, where he is gaining a well deserved renown in his chosen field.

On rising Prof. Phelps proved to have a very pleasing voice, perfect command of English and the manner of a finished public speaker.

At the outset he seemed to be trying to find out just what kind of a lecture would be suitable to his audience which comprised a large percentage of high school pupils. However settling down, he began with three selections, which he did not name as literature leaving that to the minds of the audience. The first is frankly humorous vein depicted the trouble that a livery stable had in maintaining a rivalry against a gardener. Not the least of whose attractions was the greenhouse "old" that the livery stable ain't."

The next selection from Yeates, referring to the march of the fairies, was over the heads of the younger part of the audience, in its philosophy and its poetic fancies. It deals with the effect that the sight on the little people has upon one who inadvertently sees them. He is rendered forever dreamy and impracticable. The music, and swing of the words delighted the more mature in the audience. Following this was a starkly realistic picture of Chicago—"Hog-butcher—Tool-maker to the world—giant among cities", that thrilled by the crash of syllables, and the callousness of the ideas presented. The lecturer then set to work to develop his theme which dealt with the service of literature to the world. Disclaiming any intention to be "high-brow" the lecturer summed up that the service of literature was exercised in three planes:

1. To interest.
2. To inform.
3. To voice the deepest emotions of human life; with the accompanying self-revelation of the ultimate values of right and wrong.

Finishing up his theme with two quotations from Shakespeare where the ultimate depth of disappointment and despair is voiced by Lady Macbeth, when she realises that the ambition that caused her to encrime her hand in the blood of a defenceless sleeping old man, had brought nothing in its train but a hollow glory and a broken heart as she destroys herself to the farewell cry of "Naught's had—all's spent," the audience were made to feel the futility of ambition as the motive power to life.

In contrast was shown the farewell of Bardolph when told of the death of Falstaff. Companions in many a merry drinking bout, co-brawlers in many a wild night, companions in war and peace. Now the companionship is served by death, but says Bardolph, "I wish I were with him—where'some'er he be—in Heaven or in Hell!" The cry of a true comrade and boon companion for the former partaker of his pleasures. "Thus," finished the lecturer, "does literature make us to know that we are all of one flesh, thinking the same thoughts, and subjected to the same emotions."

The evening ended pleasantly and the hearty applause that greeted the vote of thanks to Prof. Phelps, proposed by Mr. Cuthbert and seconded by Mr. Gooderham, showed that the audience were in sympathy with the remark made by these two gentlemen.

News From Milo

Again the Canadian Club is to be congratulated upon the lecture arranged by the executive, Wednesday night offering being wholly enjoyable. The lecture was preceded by an instrumental solo, pleasingly played by Gerald Yates, and by a vocal solo which Mrs. Gibney rendered sympathetically.

A delegate from the U.F.W.A. is to be sent to the Municipal ratepayer annual meeting to ask the council to do certain improvements to the cemetery.

At the recent Milo Board of Trade meeting Carl Sutton was elected president in place of Roy Haggens, who resigned and Miles Thornton was elected secretary-treasurer.

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Meadowbrook Doings

(By our own Correspondent)

Good luck to the new councillor. No doubt Ralph will fill the bill.

Next Sunday the members of the Gleichen Curlers Club will parade to St. Andrew's Church for their annual service.

The Urich entertainers were not successful in hiring the Grant-Allegro music for their circuit tour.

The card party and dance was a success last Friday, and the weather was favorable. Quite a nice crowd turned out and they all enjoyed themselves.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Urich are

putting on an entertainment in the Craigantler School on Friday, Feb 21st. Charlie being an old actor is going back to his old profession.

The topic on disarmament did not seem to take the attention of the audience on Friday night—we are too far inland. The sea can never be forgotten by the old sailors.

The question is how, shall we have good sensible debates in the hall after card parties. A debate that everyone will take an interest in and no doubt Mr. Ellis will do his best to get such.

Mr. Editor, your correspondent was taking awful chances last week when you made the mistake of putting in "imitation" in stead of "exhibition" re Scotch dance by Mr. and Mrs. D. Mc-

Bean. I have got things smoothed over, if it don't happen again.

Meadowbrook—About three o'clock Monday morning Wm. Anderson of Standard arrived at John Grant's farm and awakening the family informed them that he was returning to Standard by auto and that about a mile west of their home on the Main Highway his car took fire and was burned up completely, leaving only the wheels standing. It is believed that the splashing of the mud and water caused a short circuit.

Forgetful husband, to friend—"I want you to help me. I promised to meet my wife at one o'clock for luncheon, I can't remember where. Would you mind ringing her up at our house and ask her where I am likely to be at that time.

THE LAST WORD ABOUT THE MID-WINTER CARNIVAL

HERE ARE SOME OF THE ARTICLES YOU GET FOR 10c

Board of Trade—Hams and Bacons.

Canadian Legion—Chinaware, Pitchers, Teapots, Vases, Plates, Bowels, Etc.

Hall Association—A Special by Marcellus.

The Firemen—A Hot One.

Hockey Club—Blankets, Kitchen Sets, Compacts, Etc.

Canadian Club—Hardware, Watches, Pliers, Flashlights, Etc.

Curling Club—Everything from Bath Salts to a Towel. Tennis Club—Clocks, Candy, Tobacco Pouches.

Golf Club—A Bag full of Groceries.

Town Council—Tobacco, Cigarettes, Pipes, Etc.

Fraternal Societies—Ladies Hose, House Dresses, Rag Rugs, Etc.

B.E.S.L. and Eastern Star—The Eats.

Sharpe's Merrymakers—10c. Jitney Dance.

A Hard Time Show that you can't afford to miss. Doors open 7:30 p.m. and close next week. See Posters for Special Prizes.

EXTRA

Mr. A. V. Cocks, the National Life man, has donated a pair of Pure Bred Chinchilla Rabbits to the committee who will find a new owner for them on the second night.

"POWER"

William Boyd

With JACQUELINE LOGAN

and ALAN HALE

Produced by Ralph Block for Pathé Studios
Directed by Howard Higgin

She was a beautiful vamp who was out for the stuff, and when these rustics sheiks came her way, she worked them for all they had,—don't miss this delightful breezy comedy.

Saturday Night in Gleichen Community Hall

710,000 more

Our increase in sales in 1929 over 1928 shows that there were over seven hundred and ten thousand additional SALADA users last year.

"SALADA"
TEA

'Fresh from the gardens'

Forward, Canada!

Lying latent in the nature of almost every individual there is one human characteristic which comes to full bloom in times of excitement, emergency, or undue stress. It is the tendency to indulge in exaggeration. A crowd assembles for some particular reason and the average person estimates the number at two or three times its actual size, or an accident occurs and the report is immediately circulated that the toll of the dead and injured is many times greater than the reality.

So, too, when times are good the impression becomes general that they are better than is really the case, and a "boom" is created, speculation is indulged in far beyond what the circumstances warrant, and the end is ultimate loss, and in some cases disaster. Here in the West indications in any year may point to a fairly large and satisfactory crop yield, and the inevitable tendency is to make estimates of the yield far in excess of what the harvest reveals.

Turning to the other side of the picture, and the same thing will be found to be true. A slump occurs in business, the returns of the crop season are below the average, a degree of unemployment exists, and almost immediately the human tendency to exaggerate comes into play, and everything is painted in much more somber colors than there is any justification for so doing.

This tendency to undue exaggeration is in evidence in Western Canada today to the detriment of the whole country, and to every person resident therein. Recognizing the fact that the crop of 1929 was disappointing and below the average of many years, coupled with the further fact that the burden of the loss has to be borne by certain sections of the country which harvested little or no grain, the impression is created of a practically total crop failure, and that the country is no good. Such exaggeration ignores the splendid returns of former years, and takes no cognizance of the fact that, taken on the whole, and year after year, Western Canada has been forging steadily ahead. One swallow does not make a summer, nor does one crop shortage, or even failure, condemn a country or provide substantial ground for discouragement and depression, any more than one bumper crop establishes the fertility of any section or justifies a "boom" and extravagant expenditure.

At this time the people of Western Canada, in city and country alike, may well give consideration to, and base their actions upon, the average of conditions. If the grain crop was smaller than usual in 1929, in 1928 it was so big that it shattered all records; if the 1929 grain crop fell below the average, dairy production, in Saskatchewan, for example, increased by three and one half million pounds, a 30 per cent. increase over 1928. The figures of building construction in the West, last year, established new high records; employment was maintained at a high ratio throughout the first nine or ten months of the year, and the present slump is only seasonal and temporary, with prospects for 1930 just as bright as they were in 1929.

Let us remember that if the export of agricultural products by Canada fell off in the last half of 1929, the grain is still in Canada to be transported by our railways and sold by our people, and the results will be reflected in the business activity of 1930. Let us be encouraged by the fact that the greatest of our great Western enterprises, the Wheat Pool, has successfully contended with a set of the most difficult circumstances. It has been put to the test, but with the united support of all Canada's banking institutions and business and commercial interests generally, it is now quite evident that it is winning out in its great fight to protect the interests of Canada's great army of producers.

It is impossible in this world for any person, country, or corporation, to forever move forward, onward and upward. It is inevitable that periods of recession must interrupt such steady progress. The stock market cannot forever go on climbing higher and higher; it must take a drop some time. If the pendulum swings too far one way, it must swing back again because an equilibrium must be maintained. We cannot always live on the rarified heights; it becomes necessary at times to descend into the quiet and repose of the valleys.

The position of Canada, and of all Canadian industry, agricultural, manufacturing, commercial, is essentially sound and strong; stronger than that of almost any other country in the world. There is no justification for any depression, because no cause exists for it. To the extent that it is prevalent with some people it is largely a mental condition. Reverses have been suffered by some people in Canada as in other lands, and occasions arise in the life of every one when they meet with a reverse. But a reverse is not defeat. Courageously faced it can be turned to victory.

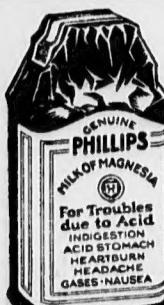
British Columbia Salmon

Salmon canned in British Columbia is exported to over thirty countries in the world. The annual marketed value of the B.C. product is more than \$13,000,000.

The formation of large hallstones begins at heights estimated at between 15,000 and 40,000 feet above the ground.

Years ago good sleighing for Christmas week meant good business for the merchants. Nowadays if the cars can't run, the merchant is out of luck.

"The African is the only happy human I have come across," said General Smuts, at Oxford, recently. "No other race is so easily satisfied, so good-tempered, and so care-free."

**Reduce the Acid**

Sick stomachs, sour stomachs and indigestion usually mean excess acid. The stomach nerves are over-stimulated. Too much acid makes the stomach and intestines sour.

Aspirin kills acid instantly. The best form is Phillips' Milk of Magnesia, because one harmless, tasteless dose neutralizes many times its volume in acid. Since its invention, 50 years ago, it has remained the standard with physicians everywhere.

Take a spoonful in water and your unhappy condition will probably end in five minutes. Then you will always know what to do. Crude and harmful methods will never appeal to you. Go prove this for your own sake. It may save a great many disagreeable hours.

Be sure to get the genuine Phillips' Milk of Magnesia prescribed by physicians for 50 years in correcting excess acids. Each bottle contains full directions—any druggist.

Canadian Permits For Last Year Eight Per Cent. Higher

Building in Canada during 1929 made a new high record for all time. The aggregate total of \$235,658,000 in building permits exceeded 1928 by eight per cent. and was larger than combined totals for 1920 and 1921. The year 1928 was the previous high record with a figure of \$219,105,000.

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California Lambs Eat Raisins

At the University of California there have been held some lamb fattening tests carried out with raisins and other fodders. They show that lambs readily absorb a material weight of reject raisins or raisin pulp with other diet, and that the feed is very nearly as fattening as whole barley and lucerne hay mixed.

W. N. U. 1822

Vacuum-Cleaners Are Valuable In Mining**Big Aid In Removing Coal Dust and Collecting It For Fuel**

Can you imagine a vacuum-cleaner being any use in a coal-mine? Housewives may scoff at the idea, but mining experts don't. They have discovered that vacuum-cleaners are a big aid in removing the coal-dust which settles everywhere in a mine, and collecting it for use as fuel. Coal-dust is frequently the cause of very serious explosions in mines, and it has been proved that even in quantities so small as one-fifth of an ounce to each cubic foot of space, it may produce an explosion. And the effects of an explosion of this kind are far-reaching—they are often at their worst 500 to 800 feet from the place where the trouble started. Various methods have been tried to prevent coal-dust explosions, one of the most widely used being spreading stone dust and sand on the floors of workings.

THIN-BLOODED PEOPLE ALWAYS FEEL COLD**To Withstand the Rigors Of Winter the Blood Must Be Rich and Pure**

Thin-blooded people easily become discouraged. They lose strength; grip, influenza and ordinary winter colds, seize them and they find it exceedingly hard to shake off any of these troubles. They feel chilly all the time; their nervous system becomes a wreck; they cannot sleep and life becomes a burden.

To overcome this deplorable state of health good blood is essential. This, good blood gives warmth to the body; strength to the nerves and does much to either prevent colds and grip or to banish their dreaded after-effects. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills is the perfect blood builder; they never fail to make new, rich, red blood. They are the ideal tonic for winter use. Concerning their use Miss Kate L. Grant, Merlin, Ont., writes:—"I was very much run down but found health and strength through the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills after other medicines had failed to help me. Two years ago I felt tired all the time; had no appetite; was nervous and cold all the time. Nothing I took seemed to do me any good till I began the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. After a short treatment with them the draggy feeling left me; my appetite improved; my blood became warmer and my strength gradually increased. This encouraged me to continue the use of the Pills and now I am feeling better than I have done for years."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills do one thing but they do it well—they build up and renew rich, red health-giving blood thus making weak, rundown men and women strong, active and happy. These Pills are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 50 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Putting Radio To Test**Soviet Radio Station Converses With Byrd's South Polar Party**

Over 12,420 miles of sea and land—the northernmost and southernmost outposts of civilization—conversed recently by radio.

The Soviet radio station in Franz Joseph Land, compared weather with Rear-Admiral Richard E. Byrd's south polar party.

The Soviets described an Arctic dawn, and the Americans replied with a description of an Antarctic nightfall.

Byrd asked the Russians concerning progress of the search for Capt. Carl Ben Eielson, American aviator-explorer, lost in the Alaskan Arctic since Nov. 9.

Persian Balm—the one toilet requisite for the dainty woman. Delightful to use. Leaves no stickiness. Swiftly absorbed by the tissues. Delicately fragrant. Imparts a velvety loveliness to the complexion. Tones up the skin, soothes and banishes all unpleasant roughness or chafing caused by wind and other weather conditions. Makes hands soft and white. Creates an elusive, essentially feminine charm. Persian Balm is indispensable to women of refinement.

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CHILD'S COLD**Needs this Double Treatment**

CHILDREN hate to be "dosed." When rubbed on, Vicks relieves colds 2 ways at once without "dosing":

(1) Its healing vapors, released by the body heat, are inhaled direct to the air passages;

(2) "It draws out" the soreness like an old-fashioned poultice.

RECEIVES NEW APPOINTMENT

L. W. Simms, of St. John, N.B., last year's president of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association, who has been appointed chairman of the finance committee of the Religious Education Council of Canada.

Air Must Be Charted**Pilots Should Know Exact Location Of High Mountain Peaks**

Tragic was the fate of the two British airmen who crashed into the side of a mountain in Northern Africa, and were killed, while attempting to make a non-stop flight from England to Capetown. It is a reminder that mountains are a greater danger to airmen than rocks are to seamen.

The seas have been so travelled that almost every rock in existence is known, charted, and in some way marked by signs at night. Except for what earthquakes may do by changing the configuration of the bed of the ocean, there is probably no voyage that any ship can make without being fully prepared to avoid submerged rocks.

The air routes will have to be marked out in the same way. This is not the first time that aviators have come to grief through hitting a mountain.

The route to South Africa is across varied terrain. These airmen may have been flying thousands of feet high and felt they were quite safe, forgetful of the peaks which rear their heads far into the clouds.

Long distance passenger planes are to increase rapidly, and the pilots will have to be provided with charts which will show them how high they must fly along the routes in order to avoid hitting a mountain.

Record Of Flying Clubs**Canada's Airmen Had 15,400 Flying Hours Last Year**

Members of Canada's 23 light airplane clubs flew 15,400 hours during 1929, figures released by the civil aviation branch of the Department of National Defence show. This flying time is equivalent to 1,232,000 miles, and is nearly twice that flown in 1922. Total membership of the clubs is 5,092. At the end of the year there were 396 solo fliers, while 165 private pilots and 58 commercial pilots had graduated from the student ranks of the clubs.

Sores Heal Quickly.—Have you a persistent sore that refuses to heal? Then, try Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil in the dressing. It will stop sloughing, carry away the prouder flesh, draw out the pus and prepare a clean way for the new skin. It is a recognized healer among oils and numbers of people can certify that it healed where properly applied.

Heavy Charge On Industry**Fires Are Costing Canada Almost One Hundred Million Annually**

Fires cost Canada approximately \$100,000,000 yearly, according to a statement issued by the Canadian Chamber of Commerce in an effort to introduce to chambers and boards throughout the country a composition designed to lower this heavy charge on industry.

Business bodies have been classified into four sections determined by population, and a shield will be awarded by the chamber in each section for the organization showing the greatest reduction in fire loss, the most educational activity along fire prevention lines, and the most permanent structural and protective improvements.

Mahogany trees do not reach their full height until they are 200 years old.

CORNS Quick Relief! PUTNAM'S Corn Extractor

The area of the world which boasts the least illiteracy is western Europe.

Royal Bank Annual Meeting; Assets Exceed Billion Dollars

The annual meeting of shareholders of The Royal Bank of Canada not only marked the close of the most successful year on record, but was rendered specially interesting by constructive addresses delivered by Sir Herbert Holt, president; C. E. Neill, vice-president and managing director, and Morris W. Wilson, general manager.

Sir Herbert, in addressing the shareholders, pointed out that in spite of the losses incurred by thousands of investors throughout Canada and the United States, the strength of the business structure is such that there is no reason to look forward to more than a moderate recession in business during 1930.

Dealing with conditions in Canada, Sir Herbert stressed the fact that neither the prospects in foreign trade nor the situation in Canadian industry, trade and agriculture, warrant pessimism concerning the outlook for the coming year.

Industrial Advisory Council

After dwelling on the success obtained by President Hoover in securing the active co-operation of industrial leadership throughout the country in the recent crisis, Sir Herbert urged that it would be to the advantage of Canada to establish a non-partisan Advisory Council, composed of men of outstanding ability, representative of industry, agriculture and labor. This council would bring about a closer approach between government, industry, agriculture and labor that would assist the

formulation and execution of effective measures for the maintenance of that equilibrium which would ensure stable prosperity.

Vice-President's Address

C. E. Neill, vice-president and managing director, submitted to the meeting a very interesting proposal by which Canada might benefit to a far greater extent from the tremendous tourist traffic that is coming annually into the country from the United States.

"Canada," said Mr. Neill, "is attracting approximately fifteen million visitors a year. This great annual migration presents an unparalleled opportunity for increasing our trade. As yet there has been no concerted effort to build the tradition that there are purchases which can be made in Canada more advantageously than in the United States. If we could make purchasing in Canada sufficiently attractive, it would make a difference of more than one billion dollars a year in our trade."

General Manager's Address

Morris W. Wilson, general manager, reviewed the 60th annual report and balance sheet, for the year ending November 30. The figures, both of assets and profits, constitute a new record for Canadian banking. Total assets of \$1,001,442,741 are shown, being an increase of \$92,046,856 for the year. Deposits have gained \$84,620,923 and now stand at \$772,067,768.

Award For B.C. Astronomer**Gold Medal Won By Director Of Dominion Observatory, At Victoria**

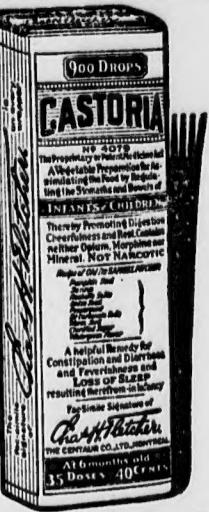
The gold medal of the Royal Astronomical Society has been awarded to Dr. J. S. Plaskett, director of the Dominion Astro-Physical Observatory, at Victoria, B.C. It has been announced. Dr. Plaskett earned this high award for valuable observations of stellar radial velocities and important conclusions derived from these observations.

The Victoria scientist has accepted the Society's invitation to hold the post of George Darwin, Lecturer for 1930, in England. The three Maritime Provinces are to co-operate in using 24 feet, while the other provinces will each use a 12-foot space, 22 feet deep. Commercial exhibits will be from the Canadian Poultry Association, the Canadian Poultry Pool, Limited, the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, the Dominion Department and the Canadian National Railways.

The 45 countries participating in the congress will have exhibits to provide ocular demonstrations of the poultry industry, backed by graphic illustrations of general nature features, agricultural, historical and scenic. The livestock exhibit, including poultry, rabbits and pigeons, will likely reach 10,000 head, of which Canada will supply 1,000 head. This will exceed even the great display made at the congress held in Ottawa three years ago.

It's the little things that bother us. You can sit on a mountain but not on a tack.

Restless Children



Children will fret, often for no apparent reason. But there's always one sure way to comfort a restless, fretful child. Castoria! Harmless as the recipe on the wrapper; mild and bland as it tastes. But its gentle action soothes a youngster more surely than some powerful medicine that is meant for the stronger systems of adults.

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lived in the canyons, and saw the sky only in small patches. Now I'm on top of the world."

"On top of the world," Al repeated, tightening his arm about her waist. "Yes, that's where we both are, and that's where we're going to stay. But not in New York."

"Why not, darling?" Grace turned to him quickly.

Al's smiling eyes grew serious. "Because—well, I've been thinking Gracie, I don't want us to stay around Broadway too long. Broadway's all right, and we've conquered it—thanks to you—but there are other parts of the world."

"That's true, Al. Do you want to go some other place to live?"

"Yes, why not. Yesterday, when the revue closed, I told Marcus I was through with the stage. No more burnt cork make-up, no more singing—that is, not professionally. I want to devote all my time to song writing, and I can do that anywhere. So—why not California?"

"To live?"

"Yes, to live. Do you think you'd like it?"

"I'd love it!"

"Then that's agreed," And Al leaned over and kissed Grace. "We'll live in California and whenever we want to come back to Broadway we can. It will be new to us and we'll have a swell time seeing the sights. And if we want to go visiting to the Alps, or to India, or China, or the South Seas—we can. In fact, we'll go anywhere your little heart desires."

Spring days came and the mellow approach of summer. Up and down Broadway and in all the cities, towns and hamlets stretching across the continent they were singing the songs Al had written—new songs that reflected the happiness of his new life with Grace.

And later?

Grace came out of the church door proudly, leaning on Al's arm, to face the news photographers who had somehow learned of the event. The cameramen did not have to tell Grace and Al to smile. Their faces were radiant. When this ceremony was over they stepped into limousine and went whirling up the Avenue among the fantastic skyscrapers that seemed to Grace all rosy and pink against the deep blue afternoon sky.

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Grace and Al lived in a tower apartment in one of the new Fifth Avenue buildings, forty floors above the roar of the city streets, with a little balcony that was like a hanging garden of Babylon. In the long early summer twilight Al and Grace could stand on that balcony and look down on the most fabulous city of any age. The rivers twined their silvery way on both sides of the island of Manhattan, the great liners came in from the sea, and Broadway at night cut, like a yellow streak, diagonally across the island.

"How strange to find me here," whispered Grace softly one evening, as she snuggled against Al's encircling and protecting arm. "I who worked at Blackie Joe's so long, and

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up song-writing. I shall continue to write songs and someone else will sing them. And folks—if any of you come to California I want you to visit Grace and me. You'll find us not in a little gray cottage, but in a forty-two room chateau by the blue Pacific, with a Jap valet and a polo pony or two. If we're not in, the butler, or the second man will tell you where to find us. . . . May you sleep well and laugh in your dreams. Goodby."

The crowd liked Al's humorous speech, but still the voices rose, demanding a song. "Sing to us, Al," they called. "Just once, for old time's sake."

Al turned to Grace: "What shall I give them?"

Grace blushed slightly. She had been thinking of a song she wanted him to sing, but she didn't know whether she could muster up courage to ask him. But finally she said: "Al, do you remember the first ballad you ever sang—down at Blackie Joe's?"

"Of course I do. But I shall sing it to you as well as to them."

He walked across the room and stood beside the piano, just as he had done that night four years ago at Blackie Joe's. Grace saw him confer with the pianist, then turn to face the audience. Then the familiar music came toward her, with Al singing the words—the poignantly appealing words of "Always."

They seemed to come winging straight to Grace in the stillness of the big room—words she knew by heart, words that had once meant pain to her. She knew she would never forget how Al had once sung them to another woman—Molly—while she, Grace, had stood against the wall at Blackie's club, her tray of cigarettes before her and her eyes fixed on the handsome young singer, in complete adoration. How she had suffered that night, knowing the man she loved was pouring out his heart to the other woman!

Again the song ended in a moment of breathless suspense, to be followed by ringing applause. And Al, slowly wending his way among the gay drinkers and diners, who reached out to shake his hand and pat him on the shoulder, finally reached Grace.

"How was it?" he asked, his eyes aglow with love for Grace. "Marvellous!"

"Grace," he said softly, "it's your song. All yours."

When the audience had turned its attention to the floor show Grace and Al slipped out of the club. They strolled arm-in-arm down Broadway. Above their heads was the razzle-dazzle of many-colored lights and still higher the soft and friendly twinkle of the stars.

Canadian Ayrshire Breeders

Report Of Cows and Heifers That Qualified In The R.O.P. Class

During the month of December, the secretary of the Canadian Ayrshires Breeders Association received 92 reports of cows and heifers that qualified in the R.O.P.—41 in the 365 day test, and 51 in the honor roll or 305 day test. In the 365 day test, thirteen qualified in the mature class; three in the four-year-old class, seven in the three-year-old class, and eighteen in the two-year-old class.

Smothering Spells Couldn't Walk Far Gasped For Breath

Mrs. T. W. Roth, Kelowna, B.C., writes: "For over a year I was troubled with smothering spells, and it was impossible for me to walk, even a short distance, on account of having to gasp for breath."

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Effect Of Diet On Character

A country comes by its traits and characteristics through the food it eats, according to Dr. Flessinger, French physician. The French character is influenced by wine, women and a high culinary art, he says. German character is influenced by beer and coarser and more homely diet.

Forests cover 22 per cent. of the area of California.

That the bat is the only mammal that can fly.

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World-Wide Survey Of Film Industry

Statistics Compiled At Geneva Show
\$4,000,000,000 Invested In Moving Pictures

A total of \$4,000,000,000 is now invested throughout the world in the moving picture industry according to statistics just completed by the International Labor Bureau, at Geneva.

So great is the number of employees engaged in the industry that the International Labor Organization has made a world-wide survey of the industry as a basis for proposing future international labor conventions regulating the work of movie employees.

According to the statistics just completed, the first movie exhibition was given December 28, 1895.

The \$4,000,000,000 that have since been invested in the industry about half the sum belongs to the U.S. concerns where the industry ranks third after foodstuffs and automobiles.

As regards employees, the United States naturally leads in the industry with 225,000 workers; 30,000 supers, and several thousand artists.

The largest German firm employs 4,000 workers; the French studios give employment to 1,000 workers, 1,000 technicians, and 4,000 supers, while in England about 70,000 people earn their living from the industry.

The recent origin and the rapid growth of the industry has been such that it has not been possible to provide for any international regulation and very little national legislation such as has been done in the older and more stable lines of industry.

With the results of the world-wide investigation of the movie industry which the International Labor Bureau has just completed it expects to take up later all the problems of work hours, health and safety of employees, employment of children and similar questions.

Multiplication Of Taxation

Canadian Manufacturers' Association Recommend Reductions

Reductions in taxation were recommended in the report presented by the special committee and endorsed by the executive council of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association, at a meeting held in Toronto, recently.

The report stated eight per cent. of the net earnings of corporations is now paid to the Dominion Government before they are distributed. When these net earnings are distributed as dividends to shareholders they are taxed again through the personal income tax. They are taxed again by certain provinces and municipalities. Therefore, the committee recommended that the Dominion Government be urged to eliminate this double, and, in many cases, triple taxation of dividends. This, it is believed, would encourage still further the investment of capital, particularly Canadian capital, in industrial enterprises.

Recommendations were also made in the report for reductions in income tax sales, excise tax and excise customs.

Killed By Sharks

Unfortunate Victims Were Shipwrecked In Squall In Southern Seas

A message from Port Louis, in the Island of Mauritius, reported that five persons had been killed by sharks in the Bay of Tamorino, after their motorboat capsized in a squall.

The five were members of a party of six engaged in shark fishing. They all attempted to swim to shore, which was two miles away, but the sharks caught all but one.

Has Large Output

It has been estimated that the output of a well-known gramophone record factory during the past twenty-one years would take over 1,000 years to play, counting twenty-four hours a day, every day of the week, and not allowing time for changing needles.

Japan's population is estimated to have increased by 1,000,000 in the last year.

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Advices Against Skyscraper

American Architect Tells London Builders To Avoid Them

An American architect, who builds skyscrapers, has advised British architects not to erect any in London.

William A. Delano, president of the New York branch of the American Institute of Architects, speaking before the Architecture Club in London, England, said he felt that Americans "are gradually being crushed by these monsters which have made life about as sterile as it can possibly be for the ordinary man."

"I hope you will not be captivated by this particular phase of our experiment," he said. "Unless you are ready to swallow our civilization whole it would seem a mistake to copy any part of it."

THE RESPONSIBILITY OF A FOND MOTHER

"All things work together for good to them that love God."—Romans viii. 28.

O what a load of struggle and distress
Falls off before the Cross! The feverish care;
The wish that we were other than we are;
The sick regrets; the yearnings numberless;

The thought, "this might have been," so apt to press
On the reluctant soul; even past despair,
Past sin itself,—all, all is turned to fair,
Aye! to a scheme of ordered happiness,
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Little Helps For This Week

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—Chauncy Hare Townshend.

Those who love God will find all things working together for their good. Everything helps them, as sunshine or storm, summer or winter, helps the tree. When the sun shines warmly, the tree opens all its buds and leaves and drinks in the warm air, and grows. When the cold storms of winter beat upon it, it withdraws into itself, and shuts its pores, and hardens. So when all things are pleasant in life we enjoy them gratefully, and expand in God's sunshine with thankful hearts. When disappointment and trial come we learn to be patient, trusting, submissive, hopeful, firm, and true, and that is good for us all.—James Freeman Clarke.

He: "That was a clean, wholesome show wasn't it?"

She: "Yes—I didn't think much of it, either."

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Marquis M.D. to Vote on Park Next Saturday, Feb. 22

To the ratepayers of the Municipality of Marquis:

On Saturday, Feb. 22, you will be asked to decide by vote if the Lake McGregor Park will be improved to the extent of \$3000 each year for the next five years. This question has been hanging fire for several years and we have lost valuable time but it is never too late to begin.

The plans call for the making of one of the most beautiful artificial community parks in Alberta. We have the ideal spot to make it so lying, as it does, on the shore of the largest man-made lake in Alberta. It years to come let us be able to look back and say, "I helped to make that beauty spot."

As you all know the Provincial Gov-

ernment has adopted a program of assisting and building up community parks, realizing that they are one of the greatest assets a community can have in making life more interesting on these bald prairies.

Most of our ratepayers live quite a distance from a picnic ground.

What an ideal spot this will be to have your picnics and community gatherings instead of having to drive from fifty to one hundred miles to find a suitable bunch of trees.

In the plans places are provided for picnic grounds, children's playground, golf course, tennis courts baseball diamond, race course and swimming beach. Just think of the hot summer days you can really enjoy here as compared to the picnics at the river where there are no conveniences, where everything gets filled with sand and you can't find a spot that is not overgrown with brush. One life lost in the treacherous currents is worth more than the entire cost of this park, where swimming will be safer. Besides the swimming facilities, other sports of all kinds can be carried on. With such a place the growing boys and girls of this community will be able to say with pride, "I live in the Municipality of Marquis."

To offset the rumor that the municipality does not own this land we have the assurance of the Provincial Government that any work put on this park will be yours permanently. The council has also stated that no work will be attempted until they are absolutely sure that they have control of this land.

On the assessed value of this Municipality of \$4,595,418.70 rate of one-half mill will raise \$3,000, or for every \$2,000 of your assessed value a tax of \$1.00 which is a very small cost for the immense value that you will receive in return.

We ask you then to see that your name is on the voters list if you are eligible to vote, and to VOTE FOR THE IMPROVEMENTS OF THE LAKE MCGREGOR PARK ON FEB 22nd.

PARKS PUBLICITY COMMITTEE

COMING EVENTS

Feb. 19—Eastern Star Whist Drive in Gleichen Masonic Hall.

Feb. 20—U.F.A. Meeting in Meadowbrook Hall.

Feb. 22—Jigg's Dinner by United Church Circle in Oddfellows Hall.

Feb. 26-27—Mid-Winter Carnival in Gleichen Community Hall.

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Let's make "Whoopie" next week Feb. 26th and 27th at the Mid-Winter Carnival.

E. J. Anderson B.Sc., Eyesight Specialist, will be in Gleichen on Saturday February 22nd.

After an absence of about four years Chas. Parks has spent about a week meeting his former Gleichen friends and also visited Arrowood and Queenstown.

Mrs. W. W. Brown left last week for Lethbridge, to spend sometime. Several pleasant little bridge parties were given in her honor before her departure.

Mrs. Davies would like to take this opportunity to thank all those who helped make the Valentine Tea such a success and all those who contributed towards the tea, in any way.

Constable A. Battis left on this morning's train with his big bloodhound dog for Olds, where he has been called to trace man who is believed to have murdered A. Best, 15 miles west of Olds.

A delightful Valentine tea was given at the Rectory last Friday afternoon, Mrs. J. R. Davies being the hostess. The decorations consisted of red and white streamers, hearts, cupids and arrows and the tables were centered with silver vases containing red and white carnations. About fifty ladies attended and Mrs. Pineau and Mrs. Pinder won the contests. The sum of \$30.00 was realized.

A famous "Jigg's Supper" with plenty of cornbeef and cabbage and many other good things to eat will be held in the Oddfellow's Hall on Saturday next at 5:30 o'clock and will continue to be served until everyone has been waited on. The supper is held under the auspices of the Ladie Circle of the Gleichen United church.

Everyone is assured of a good supper.

Charges are 50 cents for adults and children under 12 years of age 35 cents.

"POWER"

Players Risk Lives in Making Dan Sequences of Big Comedy Drama

William Boyd and Alan Hale recently went to Pacoima Dam, north of San Fernando, Calif., to spend the working hours of a week high in the air on the lofty perches of aerial carriers of the great flood control and power reservoir which is part of the Los Angeles County flood control scheme.

The famous comedy team were up in the air not for their health, but to make the outdoor sequences of "Power," William Boyd's new Pathé star picture which will be on view at the Gleichen Community Hall, Saturday, Feb. 22nd.

Pacoima Dam rises athwart the valley to a height of 365 feet. The top of the steel construction tower is 50 feet above the dam foundations. Aerial cables convey the riggers to and fro in chairs across the gaping abyss.

Hale, as a concrete worker, perches in the tower. Boyd, as the rigger approaches or recedes as the cables carry him hither or yon. Their "business" is a combination of laughter and thrills.

The town scenes of the picture were filmed at the De Mille Studio, with Jacqueline Logan as the village belle Jerry as a small town sheik, and Joan Bennett and Pauline Curley in minor roles. Ralph Block made the novel production for Pathé from Tay Garnett's original story, Howard Higgin directed.

HOCKEY CLUB DONATIONS

The following is the list of those who generously contributed to the Gleichen Hockey Assoc. for the purpose of financing the Gunners, and \$102 has been placed in the bank:

\$1 McKay \$5.00, W. K. Brown \$5.00, Gleichen Hotel \$5.00, G. H. Farquharson \$5.00, M. Stubbs \$5.00, Jun Kee \$5.00, Rex Cafe \$2.00, R. W. Harrison \$5.00, J. E. James \$5.00, J. A. Menard \$5.00, R. S. Haskayne \$5.00, D. Hutchesson \$5.00, J. Bremner \$1.00, N. Purcell \$2.00, J. Egles \$1.00, R. McQuer \$2.00, J. Bolinger \$1.00, T. H. Beach \$2.00, A. Gutrath \$1.00, A. Cocks \$1.00, A. R. Yates \$2.00, F. Wrakerchin \$1.00, C. Thompson \$3.00, G. H. Gooderham \$2.00, M. Murray \$1.00, Thos. Bates \$1.00, L. Michael \$2.00, Moi \$1.00, Bert James Jr. \$2.00, J. Ostrand \$2.00, Stanley Hall \$1.00, J. Furlong \$1.00, F. Bennett \$1.00, M. Yates \$1.00, L. Cuthbert \$2.00, O. Crossett \$1.00, J. Hutchesson \$5.00, R. W. Brown \$5.00.

Following is the time schedule of C.P.R. passenger train arrivals at Gleichen.

No. 1 Westbound leaves 5:34 p.m.
No. 3 Westbound leaves 5:54 p.m.
No. 4 Eastbound leaves 4:27 p.m.
No. 2 Eastbound leaves 3:33 a.m.

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Annual Tennis Meeting

The annual meeting of the Gleichen Tennis Club was held in the club room of the Community hall. W. Sutermeister acted as chairman in the absence of the president and vice-president, of the club. Miss Agnes Melrose was appointed secretary for the meeting and the minutes of the last annual meeting were read, following which the meeting was thrown open for the election of officers, for the term of 1930. Miss Servin was ap-

pointed secretary for the ensuing term. Mrs. Sather was elected president of the organization, while Mr. A. F. MacCallum was elected vice-president. It was agreed to appoint three additional members to the executive committee which were elected as follows: Doug Mattson, Gerald Yates and Miss Rose Lewis. W. Sutermeister then gave a review of the activities and financial standing of the Club, making it clear that he could not carry on as before unless a fuller membership could be had in the club and that he would in last year offer to sell the courts to the Club for the sum of \$100. After much discussion it was decided that the membership fee be the uniform sum of \$5. per member. A motion was then brought up asking Mr. Sutermeister to carry on as usual regarding the care of the courts. I was strongly emphasized that no one but paid up members should be allowed on the courts. Visitors will be allowed to play free of charge if accompanied by members in good standing. A social committee was also appointed with a view of raising funds for the tennis club and also to act as host in case of outside clubs being invited to play in Gleichen. Mrs. Gibney was appointed treasurer for the monies received from social functions. Miss Servin was asked to be treasurer as far as the monies received from membership fees were concerned. Messrs. D. Mattson, G. Yates, M. Brown and W. Pobst were appointed to look after a booth at the Mid-Winter Carnival Letters of thanks to the manager of the Community Hall and the W. A. of St. Andrew's Church were moved to be written for the free use of the club room and the dishes.

A delightful lunch was then served by the ladies of the Gleichen Tennis Club.

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